TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1888 - SB 1483

March 18, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires three new courses to be added to the course of instruction in public schools beginning school year 2011-12 and subsequent years. A course in local government shall be added in the sixth grade. A course in Tennessee state government shall be added in the seventh grade. A course in federal government shall be added in the eighth grade.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Education, the changes mandated by this bill will be done during the regularly scheduled curriculum revision.
- The curriculum will be revised so that local governments will not incur significant additional expenditures for textbooks.
- Any increase in state or local expenditures will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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